

# With You Through Life's Journey...

## Veterans

Just as we were there day one for you and your children, we will be there for future generations as well.

From your first job to your last, your employer verifies your Social Security number with us to help reduce fraud and allow us to keep track of your earnings history to ensure you get the benefits you deserve. Keep track of your earnings record by creating a **my Social Security** account. [ssa.gov/myaccount](https://ssa.gov/myaccount)

If you legally change your name due to marriage, divorce, or any other reason, let us know so you can get an updated Social Security card — and so we can accurately keep track of your earnings. There's no charge for a Social Security card.

Social Security is here to help even if the unexpected happens. Wounded Warriors get expedited processing for disability benefits.



Veterans account for approximately 14.1% of all adult Social Security beneficiaries in 2023.

The loss of a loved one can be both emotionally and financially difficult. Some widows, widowers, and children may receive survivors benefits to help them cope with the financial loss.

When most people think of Social Security, they think of retirement benefits — with good reason.

An estimated 7.9 million Veterans received Social Security benefits in 2023.



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